

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please make the following amendment to the first paragraph on p. 9, line 1:

The present invention generally relates to a root canal instrument ~~as presented in the preamble~~
~~of claim 1.~~

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION